



# The Flying Petrel

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## OVER 300 ATTEND H-DAY

More than 300 alumni and guests provided the smiles and laughter that keynoted the 1958 Spring Homecoming Day. The "Flying Petrels" found classmates and friends aplenty with whom they could swap experiences and fond memories.

From the moment the first two alumni arrived on the campus, reunions began and they continued through the day to the last refrains of the orchestra at Peachtree Gardens.

The eleven-man Petrel baseball squad put on a gallant fight against the West Georgia nine before succumbing in extra innings, 11-9.

Short meetings were held by the OABC and NAAOU in which the 1958-59 officers were elected and Virgil Milton '30, Oglethorpe University trustee, gave an encouraging fieldhouse progress report.

Undoubtedly, the climax of the Day was the smorgasbord dinner served outdoors between Phoebe Hearst Hall and Goodman Hall.

The 1958 Homecoming was hands-down the biggest and best in recent years.

Less than half of the alumni present signed the guest books. As a result we have a record of attendance of only the 104 Petrels listed below:

### Class

'20: Sidney Holderness

'25: Milledge Brower  
Judge Thomas L. Camp

'27: Harry Banister  
A. D. "Fish" Herring

'28: Keels M. Nix



Alumni, guests and faculty line up for smorgasbord dinner.

'29: John W. Crouch  
Elizabeth Werner (Mrs. Sidney) Holderness  
R. Beverly Irwin  
Edna E. Lindsey  
Heyward M. Lovett  
William C. Perkins

'30: Virgil W. Milton

'31: Katie Samuel

'34: Mrs. Enri Patelli  
Mary Hubner (Mrs. H. W.) Walker

'35: H. R. "Nappy" Thranhardt

'36: W. Lamar Adams  
H. Cecil Moon  
Ed & Kathleen (Wright) Copeland

'37: Myrta Thomas "Tommie" Carper  
J. Hoyt Farmer  
Dr. Willard T. Hunnicutt

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### Abbott and Bieler Receive Grants

Dr. Martin L. Abbott, Professor of American History, and Dr. Arthur Bieler, Professor of Languages, have been awarded summer research grants by the Southern Fellowship Fund of Chapel Hill, N. C.

Dr. Abbott studied at the Library of Congress and at Howard University on the topic of "Southern Negroes During Reconstruction."

Dr. Bieler is studying in France in the area of certain phases of linguistics.

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Stephen Schmidt '40..... 1st V. President  
Howard Thranhardt '35..... 2nd V. Pres.  
O. K. Sheffield '53..... 3rd V. President  
Betty Villegas '49..... Treasurer  
Tommie Carper '37..... Secretary  
Daniel L. Uffner, Jr., '51..... Editor

## 1958-1959 Alumni Plans

The Oglethorpe Alumni Executive Committee has outlined its alumni activities for the year '58-'59, announced President Creighton I. Perry '37. The projected program shows careful consideration and has been planned with the alumni in mind. The committees for carrying out the program have also been appointed for the year.

The Finance Committee, under the chairmanship of Jim Hinson '49, and including Betty Villegas '49 and Bill Perkins '29, will give final approval to all solicitation campaigns, recommend expenditures for approval by the executive board at regular meetings and have authority to make expenditures up to \$25.00 (each item) between meetings in emergencies.

Steve Schmidt '40, aided by Tommie Carper '37 and Marvin Lawson '58, will head the Membership and Organization Committee. This committee's duties will be to arrange appeals thru The Flying Petrel and by mail to increase alumni membership, complete compilation of all the class rosters, supervise office work of checking year-books and alumni files. This committee will also choose and help qualified prospects from each class to serve as corresponding secretaries. In addition, they will elect one person as an executive secretary for each five year group.

The Activities and Special Events committee chairman Howard Thranhardt '38, working with Amaryllis Barnes '39 and Marshall Asher '40, will make arrangements for the dinner-dance on October 24, plan with the Booster Club for the winter basketball homecoming, organize spring Alumni Day festivities, plan and supervise the publicity for local newspapers and The Flying Petrel and make recommendations for any additional activities desired.

## PERRY IS RE-ELECTED NAAOU HEAD



1958-59 Executive Committee (from left) Steve Schmidt '40, first vice-president; Betty Villegas '49, treasurer; Cecil Moon '36, director; Creighton Perry '37, president; Jim Hinson '49, chairman; Tommie Carper '37, secretary; O. K. Sheffield '53, third vice-president and Howard "Nappy" Thranhardt '35, second vice-president. Not pictured are directors Amaryllis Barnes '39, Marshall Asher '41, Marvin Lawson '58 and William Perkins '29.

Creighton Perry '37 has been re-elected president of the NAAOU for the year 1958-59. Under his leadership the association has assumed its rightful, dynamic role in Oglethorpe affairs.

The past year found more members contacting personally with other members than ever before. Aggressive action was taken by the executive committee in groups and individually, to support the field house program. The first dinner-dance, a highly successful affair, was held at the Ansley Golf Club. Initial steps were taken toward the organization of classes. And the best and biggest Homecoming Day in recent years was experienced. All of these activities took a great deal of time and personal effort.

O. K. Sheffield '53 has been appointed chairman of the Greater Atlanta Hospitality Committee with members Cecil Moon '36 and Sam Hirsch, '50. This committee will organize telephone campaigns for all special events and encourage alumni to invite out-of-town friends to homecomings.

In addition to the duties of these committees, the program includes furnishing complete rosters of known alumni to all dues-paid members by next April and continuing efforts toward the early completion of the new field house.

1958-1959 promises to be a full and exciting year for Oglethorpe Alumni. With the support of each alumnus, the association can carry out this program effectively and efficiently.

Mr. Perry could not do all of these things without the solid support of the committee.

Those members of the 1957-58 executive committee elected for the coming year with their current titles are 1st vice-president Steve Schmidt '40, treasurer Betty Villegas '49, and directors Jim Hinson '49 chairman, Cecil Moon '36, Sam Hirsch '50, Marshall Asher '41 and Amaryllis Barnes '39.

A former member of the committee and returning to it after one year is secretary, Tommy Carper '37. Other new members are 2nd vice-president Howard "Nappy" Thranhardt '35, 3rd vice-president O. K. Sheffield '53, and directors William Perkins '29 and Marvin Lawson '58.

## Have You Forgotten Something?

Did you know that many corporations and foundations consider the percentage of contributing alumni to determine which colleges they will aid?

If you have not paid your 1958-59 dues, won't you take time now to place Oglethorpe in a more favorable position to receive a large grant? Make your check payable to Oglethorpe University with the notation: "alumni dues." It is tax deductible.

### DUES PAYMENT SCHEDULE

Class of	1920-1943	\$5.00
	1944-1953	\$3.00
	1954-now	\$2.00



## Meet—

### WILLIAM L. NUNN

When last seen on May 8, 1958, William L. Nunn '22 was expertly making final arrangements to receive Scandinavian royalty on the University of Minnesota's Minneapolis campus.

Since the State of Minnesota was settled by people from northern European countries, Princess Astrid of Norway and Prince Bertil of Sweden visited the Midwestern State to help celebrate its 100th birthday. Their itinerary included a stop at U M where Mr. Nunn is Director of University Relations, a post he has held since 1945.

Mr. Nunn, born in Lee County, Alabama in 1902 and a graduate of Buford High School in Georgia, graduated from Oglethorpe in 1922 with an A.B. degree in Business Administration. While at Oglethorpe, he was business manager of the Yamacraw and a member of the Thalian Society, Debating Council and Alpha Lambda Tau.

Following a four-year teaching position at Oita Commercial College, Oita, Japan, Mr. Nunn studied at Columbia University and earned his M.A. degree in 1927.

His teaching experiences include two years at the University of Pittsburgh, two years at the School of Commerce of New York University and assistant to professor of economics at the University of Newark from 1929 to 1945, with a leave of absence during WW II.

Mr. Nunn is a district director of the American College Public Relations Assn., and a member of the Public Relations Society of America.

In addition to professional duties, Mr. Nunn has accepted his civic responsibilities in the Minneapolis area. This is attested to by his being a former mayor of the Village of Champlin, Minnesota and board member of the Public Relations Committee of the Minneapolis YMCA and of the Family and Children's Service of Minneapolis.

Oglethorpe University is proud of William Lee Nunn. To meet this man is to know that even greater achievements and honors are in store for him in the future.

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William L. Nunn

### Dr. Bohnhorst

Dr. Ben A. Bohnhorst, education professor at Oglethorpe University, was one of the discussion group leaders at the "Focus on Youth" institute sponsored by the Atlanta Conference of Christians and Jews.

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- '38: Wyatt H. Benton  
CDR C. Frank Cauthen  
Creighton I. Perry  
Francis Scott Key  
Jeannette Bentley (Mrs. Cecil) Moon  
Kimsey Stewart
- '39: Ralph H. King  
Blanche Knapp  
Jane Clippinger (Mrs. J. W.) Lockwood
- '40: Mrs. Arvil Axelberg  
Steve Schmidt
- '41: Marshall Asher  
Phil & Jeane (Mulder) Scales
- '42: Betty Waldron (Mrs. Howard) Axelberg  
Sarah Wright (Mrs. Hugh) Freeman  
Jeanne Fuller (Mrs. Steve) Schmidt
- '43: Mary Bishop (Mrs. Marshall) Asher  
Rhett Pinson (Mrs. S. S.) Sanders
- '46: Bernice R. Hilliard
- '48: Florence Richardson (Mrs. L. S.) Angevine  
Joseph G. Cannon  
Mildred Cragon (Mrs. C. F.) Dangler  
Denny Wells Spencer  
Charles R. Weltner
- '49: Judge E. Harvey Albea  
Ed. L. Chandler  
Jim and Dot (Pickens) Hinson  
Dr. Kent and Joyce (Rounds) Hovis  
Grace Albert (Mrs. J. Calvin) Jones  
Dr. Steve May  
Betty Olds (Mrs. Albert) Villegas
- '50: Wm. Harold Crowe  
Vince and Anne (Knudsen) Faraone  
Sam Hirsch, Jr.  
J. C. Robinson, Jr.  
George and Diane (Himmer) Scott

### Albert Hahnan, O. U. Trustee, At Rest

Albert E. Hahnan, trustee of Oglethorpe University and founder and president of the Tractor and Machinery Company, died May 18, 1958, in Atlanta.

Mr. Hahnan was an active worker with the Boy Scouts, having been connected with that organization since 1931. He was a member at large of the National Council of Boy Scouts of America, a member of the executive board of the Atlanta Area Council and honorary member of the Honolulu Council of Boy Scouts. He was vice-president of the American Humanities Foundation and a former member of the board of trustees of Presbyterian College.

Surviving are his wife; a sister, Mrs. Carl Bartmann, N. Y.; and a brother, Harold Hahnan, of Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.

### Former Art Teacher, Navy Art Editor

Mr. James Springer, former Art Instructor during 1938-1942, is now the Art Director of the Navy Publication "Naval Aviation News".

- '51: Daniel L. Ulfner, Jr.
- '52: Nancy Downs (Mrs. Ed. L.) Chandler  
J. E. "Mac" Henderson
- '53: Lucy (Mrs. A. E.) Leslie  
O. K. Sheffield  
Mrs. D. W. Waddell
- '54: Marie (Mrs. R. O.) Beebe  
L. M. Lippman, Jr.  
William H. Maloney  
Mike Murphey  
Connie Nesbit  
Lt. A. Hermann Niemeyer  
Ava Hart (Mrs. O. K.) Sheffield  
Elizabeth B. (Mrs. P. K.) Snead  
Frank and Miriam (Cowan) Specht  
Don Zurek
- '55: Nancy Camp  
Eliz. Anne "Liz" Mathieu  
L. J. McWilliams, Jr.
- '56: Ruth Daniel (Mrs. Geo.) Arger  
Monica Mueller (Mrs. John) Dupuy  
Mary Anne Foster  
O. B. Francis, Jr.  
Catherine Ochsenfeld (Mrs. Al) Ingersoll  
Joseph P. Lee  
Robert W. Lovett  
Mrs. W. H. Power
- '57: George Arger  
Pearl L. (Mrs. R. A.) Conaway  
John L. Dupuy  
Sarah (Mrs. E. V.) Hopkins  
Ellen Kinsey  
Ens. Jim Magee, USNR  
Joyce B. (Mrs. C. R.) Minors  
Robert B. Oliver  
Karen (Mrs. D. P.) Stephenson
- '58: Mary Anne (Mrs. P. B.) Butler



Creighton Perry '37, president of NAAOU, presents Dr. Agnew with \$958.00, the first Forward Oglethorpe fund installment.

## Mrs. M. D. Collins Dies

Mrs. Mary Collins, 71, died June 24. She was the wife of Dr. M. D. Collins '31 emeritus state superintendent of schools and member of the Board of Trustees of Oglethorpe University.

She was a graduate of Palmetto High School and attended old Cox College in College Park and Shorter College in Rome. She was a member of the Second College Park Baptist Church, the DAR, the Rebeccas and the UDC.

Services were held at Spring Hill and burial took place in Westview Cemetery with Dr. Harry V. Smith and Dr. William Allison '33 officiating.

Surviving besides Dr. Collins are a sister, Miss Margaret Cochran, Atlanta; brother, Berry Cochran, Palmetto; niece, Mrs. Jean Cochran Van Wheeler, Hopewell, N. J.; and a nephew, Jack Cochran, Gainesville, Georgia.

## YUM-M-M-M

A few weeks of planning . . . several days of meticulous preparation . . . hours spent setting up tables and chairs and arranging beautiful centerpieces . . . and BANG! A quarter ton of food and beverages are consumed in 100 minutes!

This is the story of the Homecoming Day meal; the most thoroughly enjoyed dinner in Oglethorpe history.

The recipients? The more than 300 alumni and guests who attended Homecoming Day. The Host? Oglethorpe University. The person on whose shoulders fell this superhuman task? Mrs. Martha Ann de l'Etoile, who uses her artistic genius admirably to supplement well her duties as Oglethorpe's food manager.

The excellent preparation and tremendous quantity of food served, as well as the attractive decorations was an unexpected but delightful surprise to all in attendance.

Many alumni have expressed a wish to relive those 100 minutes. Perhaps they can if they will lean back in easy chairs, close their eyes, relax and reminisce after they read the following menu of foods served and eaten.

Roast turkey, 70 lbs.; roast beef, 50 lbs.; ham, 40 lbs.; shrimp, 25 lbs.; tuna fish, 15 lbs.; chicken livers, 35 lbs.; fried chicken, 70 lbs.; baked beans, 6 gals.; Iranian casserole, 4 gals.; cole slaw, 5 gals.; potato salad, 100 lbs.; stuffed eggs, 10 dz.; celery, 1/2 crate; radishes, 4 lbs.; olives, 2 lbs.; Waldorf salad, 5 gals.; cranberry sauce, 4 gals.; curried fruit, 5 gals.; strawberries, 5 gals.; layer cakes, 7; hard rolls, 25 doz.; iced tea, 10 gals.; coffee, 15 gals.

## FUN WITH SCIENCE

Roy Goslin, professor of physics at Oglethorpe, conducted the second annual Fun With Science program at the Brookhaven Public Library during June and July.

Mr. Goslin, member of the Brookhaven Library Board, has offered this type of program intermittently for the past several years. It proved so popular with youngsters from 10 to 15 years old, that a formally organized class was begun during the 1957 summer vacation period.

Participation is on a voluntary basis so enrollment varies considerably from week to week, but some 30 to 85 students are in attendance each class period. The subject matter covers many phases of the science field including geology, meteorology, atomic physics, botany and chemistry.

According to Mr. Goslin, the Fun With Science classes have started many boys and girls toward scientific collections, and a sizeable proportion of his former students have taken an active part in the Georgia high schools science fairs.

## We Like "Fish"—Honest!

(from left) Sidney Holderness '20, Sidney Holderness, III, Harry Bannister '27, A. D. "Fish" Herring '27, Harwell Bannister (Harry's son) and Beverly Irwin '29.



## THE JOB MART

Your alumni executive committee feels that The Flying Petrel could perform a valuable service for you with the addition of the Job Mart, a feature in which employers and job-seekers can be brought together.

On a trial basis, job specifications and personal qualifications will be printed in the Job Mart section of The Petrel. No charge will be made for this service. Please restrict applications to 50 words or less.





OABC Executive Committee members (from left) Jim Hinson '49, second vice-president; Cecil Moon '36, first vice-president; Steve Schmidt '40, president; Ed Copeland '36, chairman; and Bob Oliver '57, director. Not pictured are Jim "Mac" Henderson '52, secretary-treasurer and directors Ralph King '39, George Kolowich '43, William Perkins '29.

## STEVE SCHMIDT '40 LEADS BOOSTER CLUB IN 1958-1959

Steve Schmidt '40 has been elected president of the Oglethorpe Athletic Booster Club. Mr. Schmidt, the 1956-57 OABC first vice-president, has been a key member during the organization's initial year of existence, and a great deal of its effectiveness can be traced directly to his efforts. He succeeds Ed Copeland '36 who is now chairman of the OABC Board of Directors.

Other officers for the 1958-59 term are first vice-president, Cecil Moon '36, second vice-president, Jim Hinson '49 and secretary-treasurer, Jim "Mac" Henderson '52.

Directors are Ralph King '39, George Kolowich '43, Bob Oliver '57 and William Perkins '29.

The OABC executive committee has met twice since Homecoming Day with a third meeting scheduled for the first Tuesday in August.

Arrangements are being made for a Booster Club banquet in September in honor of Garland Pinholster, "Georgia Coach of the Year". Members will have an opportunity at that time to meet the 1958-59 edition of the Stormy Petrel hoopsters.

Preparations are also underway for the Fall Homecoming which will be held sometime in December in conjunction with a home basketball game.

The committee has pledged to stay behind the field house construction ef-

forts and to aid in every way it can to bring the structure to completion as early as possible.

The committee has expressed a desire for ideas concerning the several functions of the OABC. If you have a good one that will improve any phase of the Booster Club program, send it to Steve Schmidt, 2002 Fisher Trail, NE, Atlanta 6, Georgia.

## Patelli and Holderness New Life Members

Mrs. Enri Patelli '34 and Sidney Holderness '20 have been presented with lifetime membership cards.

Mrs. Patelli travelled some 900 miles from Elmhurst, N. Y. to attend Homecoming to become the Day's long-distance champion. Her closest competitors were Harry Bannister '27 who lives in Dundee, Illinois, Liz Mathieu '55 from Miami, Fla. and Cmdr. Frank Cauthen '38 from New Orleans, La. Mr. Bannister brought his son, Harwell, as a guest and Mrs. Cauthen accompanied her husband.

Mr. Holderness won his card for being the alumnus-in-attendance of the earliest class represented at Homecoming. Mrs. Holderness, the former Elizabeth Werner '29, joined him in the Day's activities.

## Are YOU Talking About Oglethorpe?

Even though applications for admission to Oglethorpe have increased more than 30% per year for the past several years, our enrollment has remained fairly constant—between 200 and 300 students.

The primary reason for this is that both the admissions and academic policies have been strengthened.

As you know, we will enlarge the enrollment to some 500 students within the next few years. However, this will not be done at the expense of our academic program, which is stronger today than at any other time in Oglethorpe's history.

In order to obtain this student increase, the Trustees and Administration have initiated many activities that will aid in arriving at our goal with sureness and speed.

Mike Murphey '54 travels extensively to tell the Oglethorpe story to high school and junior college students, their parents, and their principals and counsellors. He is supplemented by an increasing amount of publicity, and better designed literature, including pictures, that appeals to the high school student.

We have found that the most effective way to interest students in Oglethorpe is through personal contact. For this reason, we have asked our students to visit their high schools and talk to their friends about Oglethorpe. The results have been extremely gratifying.

If each of our 5,000 alumni talks to one good high school student or to their parents, Oglethorpe would have to expand to our proposed limit almost immediately. Alumni are potentially the greatest public relations force Oglethorpe has. A few words from you could direct an able student to your alma mater, and you will receive the satisfaction of knowing that he will get one of the finest educations in the nation.

If you have talked to anyone about entering Oglethorpe, or if you know of someone who is the Oglethorpe calibre of student, drop a note to Mike. Give him the student's name, address, telephone number and high school. Mike will do the rest.

This is the greatest contribution an alumnus can make to his alma mater and one that everyone can give. Make it a point today to talk to someone about Oglethorpe.

## Mr. Coulborn, June 1958 Commencement Speaker

W. A. L. Coulborn, professor of economics at Oglethorpe, gave the commencement address at the 81st graduation service of the University on June 8, 1958.

Coulborn said, "The training derived from formal education is far more important than the detail of any studies". He added, "Experiences from campus life are valuable memories to take into the uncertainties of the future."

Coulborn pointed out that "the future could be a time in which mankind might exterminate itself," and affirmed, "that steady courage would be desired in the future." In conclusion, he said that "personal conduct rooted in human goodness is the real basis of civilized society."

Dr. Paul James, Director of Southern Baptist Work in Greater New York and Pastor of the Manhattan Baptist Church of New York City, delivered the baccalaureate sermon.

Marvin Lawson, president of the senior class, presented the senior gift to Dr. Agnew, a microfilm of the 1956 editions of the New York Times.

The Yamacraw was dedicated to Garland F. Pinholster, Athletic Director and Georgia "Coach of the Year".

Graduating with honors were: Albert Sheppard and Evelyn Patricia Baker, Summa cum laude, Ernest R. Stone and Ann Carolyn Klein, Magna cum laude, Catherine Long Leonard, Mary Anne Sharp and Anne McCallum, cum laude.

Commissioned as 2nd Lieutenants in the Marine Corps were Ted D. Bayley and John Emil Harms.

The Duchess Club award was presented to Martha Laird, the Boar's Head award: Robert D. Martin, the Sally Hull Weltner award: Evelyn Patricia Baker, Faculty Scholarship award and LeConte Society award: Albert Sheppard, the Benjamin N. Parker Law award: Marc S. Weinberg, the David Hesse Memorial award: Jimmie R. Clower, the Philip Weltner Citizenship award: Linda Roebuck Hoffman, and the James Edward Oglethorpe awards for merit: Ted D. Bayley and Ila Ann Varelmann.

Receiving the Bachelor of Arts degrees were: Theodore Dwight Bayley, Jr., Shirley Benefiel, Hava Bittenwieser Bitan, Lawrence Lee Boyers, Jimmie Rodrick Clower, Peggy O'Neal Compton, Albert Lee Dismer, Clinton L. Fincher, Ina Dorothy Foster, William Royall Foster, Christina Rice Freeman, Arley M. Gardner, John Emil Harms, Harold Bruce Hauck, Russell H. Haynie, John Franklin Johnson, Jr., Ann Coody Jones, Alice Katherine Kincaid, Ann Carolyn Klein, Jack C. Lane, Marvin William Lawson, Catherine Long Leonard, Ann C. McCallum, Anne Genevieve McGeady, John Alan Moore, Jay Camden Plymale, Charles Floyd Scott, Mary Anne Sharp, Francis Frederick Shipton, Annette Waldrop Smith, Eddie Starnes, Ila Ann Varelmann, Eva Jewell Williams, Hines L. Wommack, and Rosalie Brookshaw Young.

Bachelor of Science degrees were presented to: Alfred Eugene Coker, Robert Leon Garbutt, Jr., Edward Leon Millikan, Albert P. Sheppard and Ernest R. Stone.

Evelyn Patricia Baker received a B. S. in Medical Technology and B. S. degrees in Education went to: Mary Anna Butler, Lois Lacy Cloud, Margaret Greer Morris, Emily George Owings and Mamie Hallman Ross.

## MRS. MYRTLE DAVIS ON \$64,000 QUESTION

Mrs. E. Roy (Myrtle H.) Davis '45 gained national recognition as a contestant on "The \$64,000 Question" television program. She answered all of her questions correctly until Sunday night, June 15 when she missed a tough one. Mrs. Davis' winnings amount to \$24,000. Her opponent also missed the question, so both contestants were administered a written test, compiled by Norman Vincent Peale and

Bergen Evans, to determine which would represent the United States in the International Bible Competition. Mrs. Davis came through with flying colors.

She will leave New York on August 4 for Israel where the competition, scheduled for August 19, will take place. Contestants from all over the world will tour the Holy Land before the contest begins.

## OGLETHORPE'S SUMMER PROGRAM BROADENED

Oglethorpe University's summer program encompasses several kinds of education. College preparatory courses, brush-up study for teachers, courses of regular study and a seminar course for college graduates are being offered in the two sessions of summer school.

The college prep courses are new additions to the University's program and include courses for high school graduates wishing to improve their English composition and mathematics. The courses are not offered for college credit but are valuable to students entering college and insure adequate training in these two subjects which college officials feel are vital.

Also added to the summer offerings are two courses for teachers who want to improve their knowledge of mathematics and science, Basic Mathematics and Fundamentals of Physics.

The Alumni Humanities Seminar is being offered by Dr. Stanley Daugert. It is a most enjoyable way to continue one's education and to gain an insight into the myriad problems affecting man and mankind.

## The Family Tradition

Oglethorpe alumni play an important role in the growth of the University in various ways. A glance at the Fall, '59 Oglethorpe acceptance list shows that many relatives of alumni are enrolling at the University.

To date, Dwight L. Bayley, Jacksonville, Florida, brother of Ted Bayley '58 president of the student body last year, has been accepted and will enter Oglethorpe next fall. Frances L. Ivey, daughter of Mrs. Frances N. Ivey '54, College Park, Georgia, will follow in her mother's footsteps. Kathryn Klein is the sister of Ann Klein '58 and Francine Klein '60. Frederick C. Lubs, of Savannah, Georgia, is a cousin to Sam Edelman '57, Betty F. Webb, Atlanta, succeeds her mother, Frances Warlich Webb '27 and her aunt, Mildred Warlich Merrie '23, and Patricia Hinson is Jim and Dot Hinson's '49 sister and sister-in-law respectively.

Oglethorpe is becoming a family tradition.

## What's New With YOU?

You are the most important person we know. That is why we want to know what you are doing, what milestones you have reached in your business, what honors you have received in your civic and social affairs and news of your family.

Help your friends share, vicariously, in your fortunes by filling in the box below, now. Send it to the Editor, **The Flying Petrel**, Oglethorpe University, Atlanta, Georgia. (Note: don't be modest. We will keep all sources of information confidential)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

(New) Address \_\_\_\_\_

News \_\_\_\_\_



# — THROUGH THE YEARS —

**Bert Leslie Hammack** '23 formerly personnel director for the Atomic Energy Commission for about six years, has been employed in that capacity by the Duquesne Power Company on the "Power Plant for Peace" project at Shippingport, Pa., dedicated recently by President Eisenhower.

**Harry Bannister** '27 has retired as secretary-treasurer of the Mid-Union Indemnity Company. He now holds the position of consultant with the same firm.

**Dr. Nicholas J. Tortorella** '27 died in Elizabeth, N. J.

**H. Johnson Reynolds** '29 former manager of the Capital City Country Club and retired Sears, Roebuck & Company employee, died in Atlanta.

Thomas H. Daniel, Sr. father of **T. H. Daniel** '31 of Atlanta died.

**Carl T. Sutherland** '31, Atlanta personnel director and a major general in the Army reserve, has been re-elected to the executive committee of the Reserve Officers' Association. He was named to the committee at the organization's 32nd annual convention in Atlantic City, N. J. Gen. Sutherland is commander of the 81st Infantry "Wildcat" Division, composed of units from Georgia and Tennessee. He is married to the former **Alma Shaw** '32.

Fulton County Chaplain **W. P. (Bill) Allison** '33 was commended by the Fulton County Grand Jury Thursday for his work in rehabilitating prisoners just released from prison. The jury said the chaplain gives prisoners clothing, financial assistance and helps them find jobs. The jury recommended the Rev. Mr. Allison be given assistance "in the way of personnel and funds" to continue the rehabilitation work.

Homecoming, May 3rd, was especially significant to the Henry Walkers this year. Twenty-five years ago, on July 30, 1933, they were married on the lawn in front of Phoebe Hearst Hall, with a background of a new moon and a blazing sunset, and music by Margaret Stovall on the chimes in the tower. Mrs. Walker is the former **Mary Huber** '34.

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**Mrs. Enri Patelli** '34 is the recording secretary of the Tuesday Talkers, an organization that believes in promoting good speech. Its descriptive motto is: "The pursuit of cultured speech, leads one to many beautiful lands."

**James Mikell Holmes** '36 died at his home in Decatur, Ga. He was well-known in Atlanta musical circles as a pianist, arranger and composer.

Oglethorpe Alumni Executive President, **Creighton I. Perry** '37 has been elected associate editor of *Lionews*, a publication of the Atlanta Lions Club.

**Sam Finklea** '38 helped promote a Horse Show for Benefit of Crippled Children this past May in Columbia, S. C.

**Wyatt Benton** '38 is principal of Central Elementary School in Lancaster, S. C.

**Cmdr. C. Frank Cauthen** '38 is located in New Orleans as District Material Officer in the 8th Naval District.

**LaVerne Partain Grey** '39 announces the birth of a son Christopher Perrin, born February 25. The Greys now have four sons and two daughters.

**Dr. Malcolm Mosteller** '40 is now located in Columbia, S. C. His office is adjacent to Columbia Hospital.

**Nicholas Pope, Jr.** '41 has been selected for Commander in the U. S. Navy. Commander Pope is presently assigned to the Office of Information and is Head of the Navy Press Section, in the Pentagon, Washington, D. C.

Sympathy is extended to **O. J. White, Jr.** '43 in the death of his father.

**W. E. Ayers** '47 was named president of the North DeKalb Planning Council. He is a resident of Mabry Road and retires in June as president of the Jim Cherry Parent-Teacher Association.

**Betty Turner Boone** '48 was presented in Concert at E. Rivers School in Atlanta. She studied voice under Alec Buckingham Simpson, teacher and conductor of Atlanta and London. Betty has sung throughout the South

and has made further appearances under the sponsorship of the Houston, Texas Junior League; the Houston Music Theater; Houston Summer Symphony; the Georgia Tech Glee Club and Cathedral Singers of Atlanta and Nashville. She is presently engaged as a choir director of St. James Methodist Church in Atlanta.

**"Gene" Ivey** '49 is back in Atlanta and is connected with the national Biscuit Company.

**Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Chandler** '49/'52 are the proud parents of a girl, Ellane Alice, who was born May 18, 1957.

**Mrs. James K. Fancher** '49, the former Frances Stribling, died in Atlanta after a brief illness. She is survived by her husband and three young daughters, Laurie, Amelia and Martha Fancher.

**A. Z. Johnson** '50 has been installed as First Vice President of the Tucker Lions Club. Mr. Johnson is a teacher and coach at Chamblee High School.

**Douglas L. Cook** '50 has been elected President of the Atlanta Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Dr. and Mrs. William Trimble announce the birth of a daughter, Cynthia Ellen on April 4, 1958. Mrs. Trimble is the former **Nell Poole** '51.

**John Fisher** '51 of 54 Meda Place, Midland Park, N. J. is associated with Farris Engineering Corporation of Palisades Park. He is the proud father of a two-year old son, Brian.

**Mrs. John R. Fincher** '52, principal of the Central Park School in East Point, died. She had been a teacher in the Fulton County School system for 17 years.

**Mrs. Jeroline Longino** '52 has been unanimously chosen as Coweta County's Teacher of the Year. Mrs. Longino is a member of the faculty at Madraas School and this ward is a high tribute to her qualities as teacher and friend.

**Mrs. Polly Christie** '54 was elected corresponding secretary of the DeKalb County Teachers' Association.

# — THROUGH THE YEARS —

**Betty Alder Davidson** '52 was elected President of the Georgia Science Teachers' Association at the G.E.A. Convention in March. She and her husband returned to Atlanta from Newport News, Virginia, last summer. At present Betty is teaching Human Biology at Southwest High School in Atlanta. Rod is connected with the Trust Company of Georgia as the new business representative at the new West End Branch.

**Charlie Scarratt** '52 has been signed to a three year recording contract by Felsted Records, a subsidiary of London Records. He sings his own compositions on his first record, "The Love-mobile" and "Two Innocent Lovers." In addition to the singing contract, Charlie has had four songs accepted for recording by other companies in the last three months. Let's give Charlie a hand by requesting his records on disc jockey shows, juke boxes and in record shops.

**Mrs. J. J. (Evelyn Baker) Allen** '55 gave birth to a daughter, Kathleen Evelyn Baker Allen on April 4, 1958. The Allens reside in Hapeville, Ga.

**Bill Wehunt** '56 is office and credit manager of Majestic Corporation, a wholesale drygoods company in Atlanta.

**Bob Lovett** '56 is the proud papa of a baby girl, Elizabeth Howard, born on July 24, 1958.

**Pvt. Joe C. White** '56 of the United States Army is now located in Ulm, Germany. He has been stationed there for one year.

**George Arger** '57 is with the Catalog Division of Sears and Roebuck in Atlanta. His wife, **Ruth Daniel Arger** '56 is doing social work with Fulton County.

On June 14, **Marcia Hiatt** '57 married **Jimmy Sivils** '56. Marcia is teaching the 5th grade in Columbus, Ohio. Jimmy has completed two of his four years of medical school.

**Gordon Hiles** '57 made the Order of Gownsmen honor society in his first semester at the University of the South. He is studying theology, a 3 year course which leads to the Bachelor of Divinity degree. Participating in sports, he won 10 of 11 swimming races in the 220 yard backstroke.

**Mary Loretta Koch** '57 was married to Linn Francis Durbin of Kirkwood, Mo. on July 12 in Kirkwood.

**John Dupuy** '57 has a teaching fellowship at Florida State University in Gainesville where he will pursue studies in Marine Biology. Mrs. Dupuy is the former **Monica Mueller** '56.

**Mary Anne Sharp** '58 went to Europe this summer as a member of the Decatur Civic Chorus.

**Helena Carter** '58 became the bride of Charles J. Robisch on June 14 at the Cathedral of Christ the King.

**Ed Millikan** '58 was married June 8, 1958 at Grace Memorial Methodist Church. The couple went to Mexico on their honeymoon.

**Larry Boyers** '58 is now employed by the Boy Scouts of America in Cincinnati. He will attend the National Training School in September.

**Pam and Trevis Ingram** '58/'59 have a baby boy, Robert William, born July 18, 1958 at Crawford Long Hospital in Atlanta.

**Ens. John W. Voss** '58 received his pilot's wings at Corpus Christi on June 20, 1958.

**"Mac" Willis** '59 is playing summer stock in Ocala, Florida.

**John Daniel Troy** '60 is engaged to Janet Coleman. The wedding will take place August 29 at the Morningside Baptist Church.

**Sue Snead** '61 married Don Haddon June 15. Don is at present a student at Southern School of Pharmacy.

**Barbara Baughman** '61 has been selected a member of Davison's College Board.

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